

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

HANS RUIGROK,

Plaintiff

v.

SCANDENT GROUP, INC.

Defendants

C.A. File No. 04-11887-MLW

LOCAL RULE 16.1 CERTIFICATION

Defendant Scandent Group, Inc. and its counsel certify that they have conferred (a) with a view to establish a budget for the costs of conducting the full course and various alternative courses of the litigation; and (b) to consider the resolution of the litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in Local Rule 16.4.

December 6, 2004

Scandent Group, Inc.

By: [Signature]  
Its Duly Authorized Representative.

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I hereby certify that a true copy of the above document was served upon Gregg A. Rubenstein, Nixon Peabody LLP, 100 Summer Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02110-1832, the attorney of record for Plaintiff, by first class mail on December 7, 2004.

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